



Docket: 0756-1790

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT application of )  
TOSHIMITSU KONUMA et al. )  
Serial No. 09/059,562 ) Art Unit: 2872  
Filed: 04/14/98 )  
For: LIQUID CRYSTAL ELECTRO-OPTICAL )  
APPARATUS AND METHOD OF )  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME )

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Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate Sm/Lg Entity	Fee
Total	86	Minus	30	56	X 9/18	\$1,008.00
Indep.	12	Minus	8	4	X 39/78	\$ 312.00
First presentation of multiple dependent claims						
TOTAL						\$1,320.00

[ X ] A check in the amount of \$1,320.00 is enclosed to cover the additional claim fee.

[ X ] In the event applicant(s) has overlooked the need for any petition and fee for extension of time, and such extension is required, applicant(s) requests that this be

considered a petition therefor and that such fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-2380 (0756-1790).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(a), 1.20(b), 1.20(c) and 1.20 (d) (except the Issue Fee) which may be required now or hereafter, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-2380 (0756-1790). A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1-30.

Please add new claims 31-116 as follows:

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01 00000005 09059562 1008.00 00 00  
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